

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways propose to convert all the Mail/Express trains into Air-conditioned trains;
- (b) if so, the time by which this task is likely to be completed;
- (c) whether the Railways propose to set up more coach manufacturing factories to achieve the above target;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the total number of AC and non-AC passenger coaches proposed to be manufactured during the current Plan period?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU)

- (a): No, Sir.
- (b) to (d): Do not arise.
- (e): Total number of 2821 coaches are proposed to be manufactured during 2006-07.